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Part 2-8 Pages

# PLEASES GOMPERS

President of American Federation Reviews Achievements and Issues for 1916.

SAYS TRADE UNIONISM GIVES RIGHT TO CHEER

Politics and the Mexican Situation Two Most Important Points Discussed by Leader.

Politics and the Mexican situation are two of the most important points taken up by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in a statement made public last evening on statement made public last evening on last evening on election day."

beings, international nonor and liberty.

"These are some of the issues that primarily concern the workers and all liberty loving citizens of the United States; they are the issues upon which every wage-earner—every citizen—will make his own decision, not only in his everyday activity, but also at the polls on election day." 1916." Saying that every branch of the "definite progress in securing for its members greater advantages in those things which things which are fundamental of bet terment in all relations of life," and that in organizations the success has been phenomenal, President Gompers

"Labor day, 1916, brings to the workers of America the right to cheer and confidence in the trade union movement. There have been tests and crises that have proved its fundamental principles; there have been opportunities that have tested its practical efficiency. Through them all the trade union movement has made sure progress and gained in confident vision for the future.

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Taking the labor movement as a whole, there has been greater progress in securing the eight-hour day or tne shorter workday than in any other similar period of time. The meaning of these victories can be interpreted only in the light of full understanding of the meaning of the eight-hour day. The shorter workday is something more than an economic demand. It is a demand for opportunity, for rest, recuperation and development—things which make life more than mechanical drudgery.

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"The workers whose whole periods are short are essentially different from those who are so worn by toil that they have reither energy nor mind for other things in life. They become more energetic, more resourceful workers with keener mentality and greater producing power. It inevitably follows that the short-hour workers are the best paid workers. With every reduction in hours there is always a corresponding increase in wages. Wherever demands for the shorter work day and higher wages have been presented and urged by organized workers during the past year, they have met with success. These economic gains have a potent relation to the social side of life."

Won Legislative Victories.

He points out that shortening the period of work lengthens the period of wages give the workers the means for

upon which the workers can secure so-cial and political progress. The power which secures these achievements is the power that will secure justice for will see the opening of a two-week car-

rated, he says it is "one of splendid victories."

"The problem of human freedom was not ended by the work of Lincoln. There still remained a class bound to involuntary servitude, the seamen. The seamen's act brings freedom to these workers. It makes American soil sacred to freedom, a country upon which a bondman may not step without losing his legal fetters. Freed and given an opportunity to protect themselves, the seamen. given an opportunity to protect them-selves, the seamen are pressing their demands for higher wages and better conditions. Section 6 of the Clayton thousands of government employes will anti-trust act contains the most advanced concept of freedom. The labor of a human being is not a commodity or article of commerce.

## Political Issues.

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There are capitalists and exploiting interests of the United States who, because they have property in Mexico (often corruptly and dishonestly obtained), desire to maintain governmental agencies by which they can hold the people in subjection and deny to them the opportunity for protecting themselves through the organized labor movement and other opportunities for growth and development. These selfish exploiting interests are concentrating their political power in the present campaign to secure a different policy on the part of our government toward Mexico. Even under the guise of intervention, no matter how unnecessary and unwarrantable, the advocates of that policy really aim at the conquest and annexation of Mexico. A few of the most reckless, such as the Otis and Hearts interests, come out brazenly in the demand for intervention, invasion, conquest and annexation of Mexico. Of course, every effort must be made to safeguard the lives and the property of our people living along the border line, but who can honestly say that the Mexican marauders were the only offenders? The allied forces of greed and profit would deny the Mexican people the opportunity for their development; they would gladly embroil the United States in an unnecessary and unwarrantable war with Mexico. To them property, property rights, profits are held far more sacred than human beings, international honor and human liberty.

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Picnics, Auto Races, a Regatta and Celebrations of Various Kinds in Prospect.

regatta and celebrations of various kinds by various associations will be the order of the day tomorrow, when the citizens of Washington unite in celebration of Labor day.

Members of the Central Labor Union will hold an outing at Chesapeake Beach, where sports will be indulged in and addresses made.

Lovers of speed will find five auto mobile and two motor cycle races awaiting them at 2 o'clock at Benning. under the auspices of the American Auto Racing Association. The other athletic event of great in-

terest tomorrow will be the regatta of the Middle States 'Association of Amateur Oarsmen, to be held on the upper Potomac in the afternoon. The regatta is under auspices of the Potomac Poat Club, and will show some of the best oarsmen of many states of the Union.

## Other Outings Planned.

Among outings given by various bodes will be the picnic of the German Orphan Asylum in Anacostia. A drill development, and that increases in by forty children will be a feature and the program will include dancing and taking advantage of the shorter work- the serving of refreshments to the little ones. K. O. Priel, Philip Dittes and "Economic achievements are the basis Mrs. Rupertus are in charge of the

which secures these achievements is the power that will secure justice for them in every other relation.

"Power through economic organization means political power. There must be an economic basis in order to give political activity reasons for existence and a program. By organizing its economic power to secure political protection and by adhering strictly to a non-partisan political program, the American Federation of Labor has won glorious legislative victories."

He explains that the object of legislation which has been sought by organized labor "is always to establish larger and better opportunities for life and freedom": that organized labor "does not seek through legislation to do things for workers which they can do for themselves"—these principles applying to workers in private industry. In the case of governmental workers, where conditions may be fixed only through legislation, hegislation to this end must be procured, he states.

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join the throngs of those observing the day in all parts of the city and nearby places. Many government clerks have planned visits to other cities over Labor day. Many men will return to

Political Issues.

"As Labor day, 1916, comes in one of the most critical political campaigns since the civil war period, it is well to call attention to the big issue of the campaign which has a national as well as an international relation. The issue is the attitude of the political parties toward questions of humanity and human welfare. The party now in power has in its legislative achievements placed the highest valuation upon human life and human attributes that has ever been declared and enacted by any political party in power.

"The question that concerns the workers is how to hold their present advantages and how to secure from political parties still greater opportunities for freedom. The thing which is fundamental is section 6 of the Clayton anti-trust act, the labor of a human being is not a commodity or article of commerce. The representatives of the American Federation of Labor went to the political parties and asked them to declare themselves upon this principle. The answers that the political parties gave are in their platforms where all may read.

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vorably declared and emphasized its position. The republican party took no notice of labor's request that they declare themselves upon that which the workers considered of greatest importance to them.

"The international issue that now comes closest to the labor movement is the policy of our government toward Mexico. The cause of humanity is in the balance in Mexico. The people there are trying to work out their own problems of political, social and economic justice.

Largely Mexican Problem.

"The problem of industrial welfare in the states of the southwest is largely a Mexican problem. With low standards of life and work prevailing upon the 15,000,000 of Mexicans, there exists an obstacle to the establishment of higher standards within the United States.

WASHINGTON, D. C., SUNDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 3, 1916.

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We have planned for a busy Labor day business from 8:15 to 1 o'clock, with a great list of bargain offerings in every department to crowd a whole day's selling in half a day. New fall merchandise has been marked way below regular, and throughout the entire store you will find opportunities for moneysaving too important to miss. Read every item in this list—and be here tomorrow morning to share the economies.

A Magnificent Showing of

Values That Will Be Impossible to Duplicate Elsewhere for the

Same Money---Specially Priced for Tomorrow

\$17.98 and \$19.75

Printed Voiles Printed Voiles 934c

Full 40-inch Printed Voiles, in a large assortment of choice designs and colorings; sheer cobwebby weave, in white and pastel grounds with regulation straight stripes, two-toned novelty stripes, cluster stripes, fancy checks and floral orintings.

Batiste Brassieres 25c Batiste Brassieres, open front models, with square yokes of deep embroidery, in assorted designs; perfect fitting; sizes 34 to 46.

Women's Corset Covers, special at . 25c Women's Nainsook Corset Covers, trimmed with wide and narrow em-broideries, some with lace edgings and insertions: made with fly front.

Women's Drawers 25c Women's Muslin Drawers, made with deep ruffles, with hemstitched tucks and hem; open and closed styles.

Sweaters, Special \$1.69 Children's New Fall Sweaters, heavy, tight weave, in gray and maroon; made with Byron collars, V necks, pockets and finished with dark pearl buttons; sizes 8 to 12 years.

Children's Drawers Specially Priced at...... Children's Muslin Drawers, cluster tucks and neatly made buttonhole; sizes 2 to 10 years.

"Flexo" Petticoats 98c Women's "Plexco" Muslin Petti-coats; deep ruffles of handsome em-broideries, in assorted designs; ex-tra dust ruffles; made with new "Flexco" waist band, which is guaranteed not to rust nor break;

Muslin Petticoats
Regular 69c Values .... 49c Women's Muslin Petticoats, with flounces of embroidery, in asorted patterns, also some with lace in-sertion and edgings.

Suits......39c

50c and 59c Values. Women's Gauze Cotton Union Suits; low neck and sleeveless; taped neck and arms; loose knee neats; sizes 4 to 9.

Women's Vests
Regular 25c Values ..... 17c

Women's Silk Lisle Vests; low neck and sleeveles; taped neck and arms; choice of V or round necks; sizes 5 and 6. Children's Shirts

Children's Shirts
Regular 25c Values ..... 9c Children's Bleached Cotton Shirts, high neck and long sleeves; high neck and short sleeves; sizes 4 to 10 years.

Poplin ..... 79c

Regular \$1.25 Value.

40-inch Silk-and-wool Poplin, a high-grade silk, lustrous quality, one of the most popular fabrics for fall and winter wear; colors include black, navy, copenhagen, plum, taupe, king's blue, brown, myrtle, olive, etc.

## Extra Special! \$1.25 Yard-Wide Chiffon Taffeta 98c yd.

A silk offering that will attract an early morning crowd-avail yourself of the opportunity to buy a fall costume at this splen-

did saving.

All pure Silk Chiffon Taffeta, of heavy weight and firm, serviceable weave, with the desirable soft tissue finish which proclaims its quality at a glance. Full 36 inches wide, in all the favorite shades for

in all the favorite shades for autumn, such as
Light Blue..Corn..Mais..
Plum..Lavender..Nile..Cornl
..Old Rose..Wistarin..Gray..
Tan..Brown..Garnet..Reseda..
Myrtle..King's Blue..Copenhagen..Navy..Black..Changeable effects.
In view of the scarcity and high cost of silks, this value is indeed extraordinary—make the most of it tomorrow.

## 3,000 Prs. Lace Curtains Fine Qualities Worth

\$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00 a Pair, Tomorrow at.....

We contracted for these Lace Curtains months ago, when prices were con-

present high market conditions. They consist of Fine-grade Cable Net, Grenadine Lace-trimmed, Scotch and Nottingham Lace Curtains, and are shown in a variety of 150 patterns—all fresh, new and desirable. White, ivory, cream, ecru and Arabian shades; in plain, attached and detached figured centers, with heavy worked and novelty borders—closely resembling the imported real laces. 2½, 3 and 3½ yards long; 40 to 54 inches wide.

siderably lower, and as the result of our

forehanded buying can offer you savings

that are doubly important in view of the

From 8:15 to 1 O'clock Tomorrow You Can Purchase

Women's \$2.50 to \$4

There are 500 pairs in the lot, and they represent the odds and ends and broken assortments left from the season's selling. The entire lot grouped at one low price that will make them go in Included are Pumps, Colonials and Ox-

fords of all the best leathers, such as Patent Colt, Gun Metal, Suede, Tan and combina-tion effects. Sizes 2 to 7 in the lot. High and low heels, hand-sewed and turned soles. Qualities worth \$2.50 to \$4.00 at \$1.29 a

(Shoe Dept., 1st Floor.)



27-inch Bleached Domet Flannel, a heavy fleeced quality, for infants' wear. Embroidered

Nomet Flannel 934C

Domet Flannel

Regular 59c Value. All-wool White Embroidered Flannel, with neat silk embroider-ed designs; fine, soft-finish quality.

Crib Blankets Regular price, 59e each. 37c Fine Grade Australian Wool Crib Blankets, in pink or blue; with novel Teddy Bear and other nur-sery designs; size 30x40. (Fourth Floor.)

Carpet Hassocks
Regularly 59c each, at ... 29c Large Size Carpet Hassocks, well made and covered with Axminster and Wilton carpets. (Fourth Floor.) White Waistings white Waistings 15c

36 and 40 Inch White Welstings, including satin-striped voiles, corded-stripe seed voiles, cluster-stripe voiles and gabardine-stripe voiles. Extra fine, two-ply quality for waists and dresses.

White Linene Regular 19c Value.... 934c 27-inch White Linene, with the stylish Oxford weave; genuine linen finish. Ideal white goods for suits and skirts.

White Seed Voile 

36-inch White Seed Voile, a hand-some white fabric for waists and dresses. Superior quality, two-ply voile, with attractive seed effects. English Longcloth Q7 .....

Yard-wide English Longcloth; fine chamois-finish quality; full 12-yard pieces.

### Grocery Savings 50c Olive Oil. 10c Soup, 61/2C 29c

THIS COU-PON and 29c for one-pint cans of fa-mous Pom-peian Olive Oil Regularpeian Olive Oil, Regular-ly 50c. (S)

5c Sardines, 3c THIS COU-PON and 6c for TWO reg-ular 5c cans of Sardines, packed in oil. (S)

21/2C THIS COU-PON and 5c for TWO cakes of Cin-cinnati Oleine Laundry Soap; regu-larly 5c a cake. (8)

THIS COU-PON and 13c for TWO cans of Campbell's Tomato Soup; regularly 10c a can. (8)

5c Soap,

69c

Regular 121/2c values... 93/4c 36-inch Percales, light grounds, with neat colored printings, such as stripes, checks, dots and figures. Fine, soft-finish grade, for men's and boys' shirts, women's house dresses and children's frocks.

Lace Curtain Stretchers . . . .

Regular 98c Values. Selected Lumber Lace Curtain Stretchers; nickeled pins and center brace; cannot sag; size 6x12 feet. Wash Boilers Wash Boilers
Regular \$1.25 Value... 89c

Extra Quality IX Tin Wash Bollers, with cold wood handles; large No. 8 size. Mrs. Potts' Irons

Mrs. Potts' Irons 79c Mrs. Potts' Nickled-plated Sad Irons; three irons, stand holder; full weight irons.

Boxes .... 49c Regular 75c Values.

Heavy Tin Bread or Cake Boxes, rolled top style; white japanned finish. Washboards Washboards
Regular 45c Values .... 29c

Crystal Glass Washboards, strong-ly made wooden frame.

Genuine "Bucilla" Make Stamped Nightgowns; good quality nain-sook; stamped in dainty designs for French embroidery work. (Art Department.)

# \$30.00'Axminster and Wilton Velvet Rugs

9x12-ft. Room-Size-A

Wonderful Half-Day Opportunity, at

Buy your fall suit here tomorrow and save many dollars on the purchase.

They have all the newest style touches, showing the different coat lengths that easily adapt

Chic Belted Models, Sport Suits, Tailored and Trimmed Suits, with new full skirts in

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The beautiful new models we feature at these two prices-\$17.98 and \$19.75cannot be matched elsewhere in style, quality and value. Make all the com-

parisons you like. They were made from our own materials purchased months

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etc., cannot be produced today for less than \$22.50 and \$25.00.

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Boys' "Varsity" Underwear, low neck and sleeveless; knee-length pants; shirts in sizes 28 to 32, and pants sizes 28 and 30 only.

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Theater, at 7th and F Streets N.W.

Good for Any Performance, Sept. 5th to 10th

By special arrangement with the management of the New Casino Theater we will distrib-ute free of charge tickets good for any performance, begin-ning Tuesday, Sept. 5th to Sept. 10th, at this popular mo-tion picture house.

tion picture house.

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Regularly 50c each, at.. 29c

Large Size Bed Pillows, covered with heavy art ticking in blue, tan, pink or green; filled with sanitary crushed feathers; made odorless by

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Sateen Covered \$2.19

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Extra Fine Quality Sateen Covered Comforts, large size for double beds (72x80); filled with pure white sheet cotton. The sateen coverings are unusually attractive and show striped, floral and Persian designs. Anticipate your cold-weather needs and buy tomorrow at this saving. (Fourth Floor.)

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40-inch White French Voile; extra fine selected combed yarn, firm woren, and has the appearance of fine chiffon. Launders perfectly and will always retain its beautiful finish.

Feather Pillows

Materials are All-wool American Poplins, Serges and Cheviots.

Colors of navy, dark green, new brown and black. All sizes up to 46.



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They are strictly perfect quality Rugs-brand-new 1916-17 patterns, in the desirable 9x12-ft. room size. Deep lustrous pile Axminsters and Wilton Velvets-all made in one

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A prominent maker's samples and short lots left after filling fall orders-made of high-grade materials and every shirt perfect in every respect.

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Every shirt trimmed with real ocean pearl buttons. Made with soft turn-back cuffs. Sizes 131/2 to 17.

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Bleached Cotton 834c

36-inch Bleached Cotton; extra fine, close-woven quality, free from starch.

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Crochet Bedspreads, double-bed size, in heavy raised marseilles de-

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45x36 Bleached Pillowcases, large size; linen-finish quality; all strictly perfect.

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Self-wringing Floor Mops, easily operated; strongly made.

Pillowcases

Floor Mops

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gowns.....39c Regular 59c Values.